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Editor New York Review Mr. Robert B. Silvers 250 West 57th Street New York, N. Y. 10019

Dear Mr. Silvers:

With regard to the article on Portugal which you published on May 17, 1975, I did not see a single one of the people Mr. Maxwell alleges I saw while I was in Portugal last August. Perhaps Mr. Maxwell's view of my "blundering machinations" is more fiction of his making than fact of my doing.

Faithfully,

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